



Water Infrastructure Finance Authority of Arizona

## MEDIA ALERT

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### **WIFA Chairman Owens to Present “Best Technical Assistance Project of the Year” Award to Town of Florence**

**WHO:** ADEQ Director & WIFA Board of Directors Chairman Steve Owens  
Mayor Tom Rankin  
Vice-Mayor Tom Smith  
Council Member Tom Celaya  
Council Member Vicki Kilvinger  
Council Member Arnie Raasch  
Council Member Vallarie Woolridge

**WHAT:** Chairman Owens will present a WIFA Project of the Year Award to the Town of Florence for their Wastewater Master Plan.

**WHEN:** Friday, November 18, 2005  
10:00 am – 10:30 am  
Call time is 9:45 am

**WHERE:** Town Hall  
City Council Chambers  
775 N. Main Street  
Florence, AZ

#### **About the award**

Chairman Owens will present a WIFA Project of the Year Award to the Town of Florence for their Wastewater Master Plan. WIFA provided the town with \$20,000 in technical assistance grant funds to assist the town in developing a 20-year master plan. The master plan will allow the town to evaluate the current wastewater treatment and collection system and establish a long term plan for improvements.

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#### **ABOUT THE WATER INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCE AUTHORITY OF ARIZONA**

The Water Infrastructure Finance Authority of Arizona maintains and improves water quality in Arizona by providing communities and private water systems with access to low-interest financial assistance and technical assistance needed for basic water infrastructure. WIFA's funds are capitalized by contributions from the US Congress and the state of Arizona. As a leader in water infrastructure finance, WIFA has become a premier financial institution both in Arizona and nationally. Visit WIFA's Web site at [www.azwifa.gov](http://www.azwifa.gov).